

# Milk Sanitation Honor Roll for 1957-59

Fifty communities have been added to the Public Health Service milk sanitation "honor roll," and 64 communities on the previous list have been dropped. This revision covers the period from July 1, 1957, to June 30, 1959, and includes a total of 289 cities and 97 counties.

Communities on the honor roll have complied substantially with the various items of sanitation contained in the milk ordinance recommended by the U.S. Public Health Service (PHS Publication No. 229: "Milk Ordinance and Code—1953 Recommendations of the Public Health Service"). The State milk sanitation authorities concerned report this compliance to the Service. The rating of 90 percent or more, which is necessary for inclusion on the list, is computed from the weighted average of the percentages of compliance. Separate lists are compiled for communities in which all market milk sold is pasteurized, and for those in which both raw milk and pasteurized milk are sold.

The recommended milk ordinance, on which the milk sanitation ratings are based, is now in effect through voluntary adoption in 490 counties and 1,424 municipalities. The ordinance also serves as the basis for the regulations of 35 States and Hawaii. In 15 States and Hawaii it is in effect statewide.

The ratings do not represent a complete measure of safety, but they do indicate how closely a community's milk supply conforms with the standards for grade A milk as stated in the recommended ordinance. High-grade pasteurized milk is safer than high-grade raw milk because of the added protection of pasteurization. The second list, therefore, shows the percentage of pasteurized milk sold in a community which also permits the sale of raw milk.

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of the list is intended to encourage communities operating under the recommended ordinance to attain and maintain a high level of enforcement of its provisions, no comparison is intended with communities operating under other milk ordinances. Some communities might be deserving of inclusion, but they cannot be listed because no arrangements have been made for determination of their ratings by the State milk sanitation authority concerned. In other cases, the ratings which were submitted have lapsed because they are more than 2 years old. Still other communities, some of which may have high-grade milk supplies, have indicated no desire for rating or inclusion on this list.

The rules for inclusion of a community on the honor roll are:

1. All ratings must be determined by the State milk sanitation authority in accordance with the Public Health Service rating method, which is based upon the grade A pasteurized milk and the grade A raw milk requirements of the Public Health Service recommended milk ordinance. (A departure from the method described consists of computing the pasteurized milk rating by weighting the pasteurization plant rating twice that of the raw milk intended for pasteurization.)

2. No community will be included on the list unless both its pasteurized milk and its retail raw milk ratings are 90 percent or more. Communities in which only raw milk is sold will be included if the retail raw milk rating is 90 percent or more.

3. The rating used will be the latest submitted to the Public Health Service, but no rating will be used which is more than 2 years old. (In order to promote continuous rigid enforcement rather than occasional "cleanup campaigns," it is suggested that, when the rating of a community on the list falls below 90 percent, no resurvey be made for at least 6 months. This will result in the removal of the community from the subsequent semiannual list.)

4. No community will be included on the list whose milk supply is not under an established program of official routine inspection and laboratory control provided by itself, the county, a milk-control district, or the State. (In the absence of such an official program, there can be no assurance that only milk from sources rating 90 percent or more will be used continuously.)

5. The Public Health Service will make occasional check surveys of cities for which ratings of 90 percent or more have been reported by the State. (If the check rating is less than 90 percent, but not less than 85, the city will be removed from the 90-percent list after 6 months unless a resurvey submitted by the State during this probationary period shows a rating of 90 percent or more. If the check rating is less than 85 percent, the city will be removed from the list immediately. If the check rating is 90 percent or more, the city will be retained on the list for 2 years from the date of the check survey, unless a subsequent rating during this period warrants its removal.)

**Communities awarded milk sanitation ratings of 90 percent or more, July 1957-June 1959**

**100 PERCENT OF MARKET MILK PASTEURIZED**

<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>	<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>	<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>
<i>Colorado</i>		<i>Indiana—Continued</i>		<i>Kentucky—Continued</i>	
Boulder County.....	8-1958	Holland		Glasgow.....	1-17-1959
Colorado Springs.....	12-13-1957	Huntingburg		Greenville.....	1-21-1958
Denver.....	8-27-1957	Jasper		Hardinsburg and Breck-	
Las Anim as-Huerfano		Tell City		inridge County.....	10-22-1958
Counties.....	4-22-1958	Elkhart, Goshen, Nappa-		Hodgenville.....	10-20-1958
Pueblo County.....	2-13-1958	nee area.....	12-5-1957	Hopkinsville and Chris-	
Weld County.....	10-24-1957	Evansville.....	6-5-1958	tian County.....	9-26-1957
		Fort Wayne.....	7-15-1958	Lawrenceburg and An-	
<i>District of Columbia</i>		Indiana Falls City		derson County.....	6-5-1958
Washington.....	3-6-1958	area:.....	10-16-1957	Leitchfield and Grayson	
		Jeffersonville		County.....	10-10-1957
<i>Georgia</i>		New Albany		Liberty.....	11-18-1958
Albany.....	12-5-1958	Salem		Louisville and Jefferson	
Athens.....	5-8-1959	Scottsburg		County.....	3-1958
Atlanta.....	8-23-1957	Lafayette and W. Lafay-		Mayfield and Graves	
Augusta.....	5-23-1959	ette.....	5-5-1958	County.....	5-6-1959
Bainbridge.....	3-25-1958	Logansport.....	3-27-1958	Maysville.....	7-23-1957
Cairo.....	5-7-1958	Madison.....	7-23-1958	Monticello.....	6-19-1958
Calhoun-Gordon County..	8-12-1958	Marion County.....	4-2-1958	Morehead.....	2-3-1959
Canton.....	10-30-1958	Michigan City.....	4-23-1958	Morganfield and Union	
Columbus.....	1-23-1959	Monticello.....	10-16-1958	County.....	1-21-1958
Douglas County.....	7-25-1958	Muncie.....	5-20-1958	Morgantown.....	1-10-1958
Fitzgerald.....	5-27-1959	New Castle.....	4-24-1958	Murray and Calloway	
Griffin.....	11-14-1957	North Manchester.....	12-16-1958	County.....	2-5-1958
La Grange.....	10-8-1958	Peru.....	10-30-1958	Newport and Campbell	
Moultrie.....	10-29-1958	Rochester.....	9-17-1958	County.....	10-18-1957
Paulding County.....	7-25-1958	South Bend.....	12-11-1957	Owensboro.....	5-9-1958
Quitman.....	8-13-1958	Union City.....	7-3-1957	Owenton.....	3-31-1958
Savannah.....	7-18-1958	Vincennes.....	10-3-1957	Paducah and McCracken	
Valdosta.....	3-12-1958	Warsaw.....	8-15-1958	County.....	5-1-1959
Waycross.....	3-14-1958			Paris and Bourbon	
		<i>Iowa</i>		County.....	1-1958
<i>Illinois</i>		Cedar Rapids.....	10-9-1958	Pendleton County.....	4-2-1958
East Side Health Dis-		Davenport.....	7-24-1958	Pike County.....	7-22-1958
trict:.....	6-5-1958	Des Moines.....	7-3-1958	Prestonsburg and Floyd	
Brooklyn		Dubuque.....	6-20-1958	County.....	7-22-1958
Cahokia		Frankfort.....	2-10-1959	Shelby County.....	1-17-1958
East St. Louis		Iowa City.....	10-9-1958	Smithland and Living-	
Fairmont City		Kokomo.....	2-10-1959	ston County.....	2-7-1958
National City				Taylorsville and Spencer	
Washington City		<i>Kentucky</i>		County.....	6-30-1958
Elgin.....	9-19-1958	Benton and Marshall		Webster County.....	5-22-1958
Peoria.....	4-17-1958	County.....	2-6-1958		
		Bowling Green and War-		<i>Mississippi</i>	
<i>Indiana</i>		ren County.....	5-14-1959	Amory.....	5-7-1959
Anderson.....	12-3-1958	Butler and Falmouth...	4-2-1958	Booneville.....	5-6-1959
Berne-Bluffton area....	10-17-1958	Campbellsville.....	2-13-1959	Brookhaven.....	1-15-1958
Bloomington.....	1-10-1958	Cynthiana and Harrison		Canton.....	9-30-1958
Bremen.....	1-29-1958	County.....	4-8-1958	Clarksdale.....	12-17-1958
Columbia City.....	6-20-1958	Danville and Boyle		Columbia.....	8-7-1958
Cooperative Grade A		County.....	4-1958	Columbus.....	7-16-1958
area:.....	2-13-1958	Elizabethtown.....	1-8-1958	Corinth.....	4-9-1959
		Frankfort.....	10-18-1957	Greenville.....	10-21-1958

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<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>	<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>	<i>Community</i>	<i>Date of rating</i>
<i>Mississippi—Continued</i>		<i>North Carolina—Continued</i>		<i>Tennessee—Continued</i>	
Grenada .....	9-24-1957	Hertford County .....	7-31-1958	Kingsport .....	1-30-1958
Hattiesburg .....	5-16-1958	Iredell County .....	7- 1-1958	Knoxville-Knox County .....	9-25-1957
Hernando .....	12-19-1958	Jackson County .....	3-19-1959	Lewisburg .....	6- 9-1958
Houston .....	4-15-1959	Lenoir County .....	4- 7-1959	Lexington .....	10-30-1958
Iuka .....	4- 8-1959	Lincoln County .....	1- 9-1959	Livingston .....	1- 7-1959
Jackson .....	3-26-1959	Macon County .....	3-19-1959	Loudon .....	5-26-1958
Kosciusko .....	6-12-1958	Martin County .....	8-13-1958	Manchester .....	10-15-1958
Laurel .....	5-20-1958	Mecklenburg County .....	3- 7-1958	Memphis .....	3-24-1958
Louisville .....	8-18-1958	Moore County .....	5-15-1958	Milan .....	11-11-1958
Macon .....	2-26-1958	New Hanover County .....	4-21-1958	Morristown .....	7-10-1958
Meadville .....	2-25-1959	Northampton County .....	7-31-1958	Mountain City .....	10-28-1958
Meridian .....	2-27-1958	Orange County .....	8-13-1957	Mount Pleasant .....	5-19-1958
New Albany .....	10-10-1957	Pasquotank County .....	5- 2-1958	Murfreesboro .....	8-14-1957
Oxford .....	8-27-1957	Pender County .....	3- 2-1959	Nashville-Davidson Coun- ty .....	10-28-1957
Picayune .....	10-30-1957	Perquimans County .....	5- 2-1958	Newbern .....	11-18-1958
Starkville .....	2-10-1959	Person County .....	8-13-1957	Newport .....	1- 7-1958
State College .....	2-11-1959	Pitt County .....	4- 1-1958	Paris .....	9- 4-1958
Tupelo .....	1-27-1959	Richmond County .....	7-30-1958	Pulaski .....	9-12-1957
Vicksburg .....	1-27-1959	Rocky Mount .....	2-27-1958	Rogersville .....	1-29-1958
West Point .....	7-15-1958	Sampson County .....	5-22-1958	Sparta .....	4-18-1958
<i>Missouri</i>		Scotland County .....	11-22-1957	Sweetwater .....	9-23-1958
Kansas City .....	6-11-1958	Stanley County .....	9-10-1958	Trenton .....	11- 5-1958
St. Joseph .....	4-14-1958	Swain County .....	3-19-1959	Tullahoma .....	10-13-1958
St. Louis .....	11-26-1957	Transylvania County .....	10-20-1958	Waverly .....	8-26-1958
St. Louis County .....	6- 4-1958	Tyrrell County .....	2- 6-1958	Winchester .....	10-16-1958
Sedalia .....	8- 7-1957	Union County .....	12- 4-1958	<i>Texas</i>	
Sikeston .....	2-11-1958	Washington County .....	2- 6-1958	Amarillo .....	4-14-1959
Springfield .....	5-13-1958	Wayne County .....	1-27-1958	Big Springs .....	12-14-1957
<i>Nebraska</i>		Wilson County .....	1-27-1958	Borger .....	6-27-1958
Lincoln .....	7-16-1958	<i>Ohio</i>		Bryan .....	10- 5-1957
Omaha .....	2-19-1958	Lima .....	10- 1957	Burkburnett .....	1-14-1958
<i>New Mexico</i>		<i>Tennessee</i>		Cleburne .....	1-17-1958
Albuquerque .....	9-11-1958	Athens .....	9-25-1958	College Station .....	10- 5-1957
<i>North Carolina</i>		Bristol .....	11- 7-1957	Corpus Christi .....	5-11-1959
Alexander County .....	1- 9-1959	Chattanooga - Hamilton County .....	10- 9-1958	Dallas .....	11-17-1958
Beaufort County .....	5-14-1959	Clarksville .....	2- 7-1958	Denison .....	10-30-1957
Bertie County .....	2- 7-1958	Cleveland .....	5- 8-1958	Edinburg .....	3-14-1958
Bladen County .....	4- 9-1958	Clinton .....	9-16-1958	El Paso .....	2-13-1958
Camden County .....	5- 2-1958	Columbia .....	5-19-1958	Falfurrias .....	2-15-1958
Catawba County .....	1- 9-1959	Cookeville .....	4-18-1958	Galveston .....	6-27-1958
Chatham County .....	8-13-1957	Covington .....	12-12-1958	Grand Prairie .....	11-28-1958
Chowan County .....	5- 2-1958	Cowan .....	10-16-1958	Greenville .....	12-12-1958
Craven County .....	8-30-1957	Decherd .....	10-16-1958	Harlingen .....	2-15-1958
Cumberland County .....	3-28-1958	Dyersburg .....	11-18-1958	Houston .....	6-13-1958
Durham County .....	4-22-1958	Erwin .....	10-30-1958	Jacksonville .....	12-17-1958
Edgecombe County .....	5-21-1958	Fayetteville .....	6-10-1958	Kingsville .....	5- 6-1959
Forsyth County .....	12-12-1958	Franklin .....	5-15-1958	Lubbock .....	8-14-1958
Gates County .....	7-31-1958	Greeneville .....	1-28-1958	Lufkin .....	7- 9-1958
Guilford County .....	6-18-1958	Humboldt .....	11- 5-1958	McAllen .....	3-14-1958
Halifax County .....	9-13-1957	Huntingdon .....	10-28-1958	Midland .....	12-14-1957
Harnett County .....	10-15-1958	Jackson-Madison Coun- ty .....	10-14-1958	Odessa .....	12-14-1957
Haywood County .....	3-14-1958			Paris .....	2- 4-1959
Henderson County .....	10-20-1958				

